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Point Pleasant.

Some of the farmers have killed hogs. I hear of some who have killed and have had their meat to spoil on account of the weather turning warm.

His honor Esquire W. B. Tracy, of Bald Knob, paid the Point a visit last Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harrod and son, Alfred, of Scrabble, Shelby county, visited her sister, Mrs. R. J. Shannon, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Wm. Harrod and wife, of Flat Creek, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Henry Polsgrove, of Belle Point, on their return home paid the Point a flying visit.

Mr. J. R. Harrod, of Shelby county visited Hawk Eye Saturday.

Miss Katie Finckel, of Frankfort, visited her sister, Mrs. Updyke, last Thursday.

R. J. Shannon and wife visited Mrs. Shannon's father, Mr. Alfred Rodgers, near Scrabble, last Sunday.

Misses Sallie Hopper and Belle Moore, of Antioch neighborhood, visited Mrs. R. J. Shannon Monday.

Mr. Ed. Stivers, of the Point, was the guest of Mr. Butler Gore Monday night.

Mat says that the people thought he could not marry, therefore he just married to show them that he could. He passed along the pike singing as merry as a lark, "I've got a little wife to go home to."

Messrs. Jo. Roach and James Sheridan, while getting out rock to build a chimney for R. J. Shannon last Thursday, Dec. 5th, killed a snake. One said it was a viper and the other says he was a copper-head. His snakeship made battle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Arnold, of Belle Point, visited this neighborhood Sunday.

Mr. P. Updyke has been for the last two weeks at Frankfort slaughtering hogs for Messrs. H. and C. W. Finckel.

Mr. Geo. Finckel visited Mr. and Mrs. Updyke Sunday.

Mr. James Russell has moved into his new house, where he cordially invites all his friends to call and see him.

Clipper does not know the difference between hair and feathers when he says an Indian scalp is the scalp of a hooting owl. You must feel again, Clipper.

Rusty Cass went last Monday to buy him another mill. He is going to grinding on a larger scale than ever before. Gather up your bones and have them ready, for he will come around he told me he was going to buy the mill.

I am glad that so many of the correspondents of the ROUNDABOUT have expressed their willingness to meet Dec. 29th. Hope all will be present, as there are a great many of them that I do not know only by their nom de plume. I shall be glad to mingle with them.

Messrs. Jo. Roach and James Sheridan, of Shelby county, have done a good piece of masonry in the way of a chimney. They go next to Mr. Fielding Lewis.

Mr. James Goin and wife, of Frankfort, and Mrs. Fran Thomson, of Paris, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Smith.

HAWK EYE.

Bridgeport.

Tom Pettit's many friends and relatives in this section are rejoiced in his accession to a clerkship in Congress.

Mrs. W. Seafeld and Miss Bettie Roberts have been in Shelby county this week, visiting relatives.

Mr. Wm. Parker, of Frankfort, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Russell, this week.

Preparations are being made for a larger tobacco crop next year than for any previous year in this section.

We are under many obligations to Mr. Sam O. Crockett and Miss Jacques Jackson for a delightful musical entertainment last Tuesday night.

Squire J. W. Jackson, who has been in Illinois, in attendance on his brother, Mr. Jas. Jackson, who has been very ill, has returned home, and reports him very much better.

Dr. Geo. Chinn has moved into his house recently purchased and fitted up.

A grand soiree at Mr. Henry Sanders' last Monday night.

Mr. Wm. Seafeld and wife entertained a few friends at their residence last Monday night. The occasion was one of great enjoyment to all present.

Mr. Parker Satterwhite, of Missouri, visited friends and relatives in this place this week.

Mr. Wm. French, of Simpsonville, paid a visit of great importance to this section a few days since.

The usual school exercises and Christmas tree connected therewith will take place Monday evening, Dec. 24, 1883, at 6 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend and contribute to the entertainment of the children. We earnestly desire to see the Editor of the ROUNDABOUT present.

The Missouri fever that was raging so fearfully in this section a short time since has about subsided and not a single exit either.

Mr. Harvy Blythe left last week for Louisville, where he expects to reside in the future.

Mr. Guilford Sanders had 14 sheep killed by dogs last Sunday night. Several dogs have been killed that were known to have been guilty, others are still at large, but will be likewise dealt with as soon as caught.

We think it very strange that the teachers in this county remain so quiet in regard to the money justly due them accruing from railroad tax. But three, so far as we are informed, have yet expressed any concern in the matter. It may be the other 40 are so well situated financially that the paltry sum above mentioned is of no consequence, and therefore not worth the effort it would take to obtain it.

If we, who are toiling day after day to instruct the youth of the land in the foundation principals of an education, are not willing to arise and assert our rights, we may expect to be run over and trodden under foot as the scum of creation.

We again express the desire that those who are interested in this matter will speak out and let us know their sentiments in the premises.

The suggestion of "A Common Teacher" that the teachers meet in Frankfort on the 22d of December, 1883, and take action in regard to this matter, is a good one. We hope full representation will be present and some steps may be taken that will lead to a final consummation of the object sought.

For Toys Call at Banta's, opposite State House.

Sulphur Lick.

The space generally allotted newspaper correspondents being necessarily circumscribed it behooves them to write *multum in parvo*.

There was a sound of revelry by night—music and the dance, at the Waldner Bros.' a few nights ago, and all went merry as a marriage bell.

The suggestion made some time ago by cousin Hawk Eye that all the correspondents of the ROUNDABOUT meet at the Editorial sanctum on the 29th inst., seems to meet with general favor, and I will most assuredly try to put in an appearance.

The debate at Pleasant View on last Wednesday night was well attended and the question, "Which has the greater right of complaint against the Whites, the Indian or Negro," was very ably discussed by J. Hulet and C. S. Quire, in the affirmative, and J. R. Harrod and Willis Rodgers in the negative, but no satisfactory conclusion being reached it has been decided to re-discuss the same question at that place on Wednesday night, the 19th inst.

A very peculiar bet was made a few days ago by two prominent citizens living near here, one of whom is a merchant, the wager being a nickel each. A certain individual from over the line had purchased a bill of goods from said merchant and asked credit for a short time, which was granted, whereupon the other citizen promptly laid the above wager that the debt would never be paid, giving the merchant one thousand years in which to make the collection.

John Warren, sr., an old and highly respected citizen of this community, was stricken with paralysis on the 12th ult., from which he died in a very short time. The funeral services were held by Rev. J. A. Peters at the residence of the deceased, after which the remains were interred in the old churchyard at Lebanon. Mr. Warren was a native of Clark county, and was born near Winchester in the year 1806, but removed to this county about 1840 since which time he has been a resident here. He professed religion in his youthful days and lived an exemplary Christian through life. His wife, the companion of his joys and sorrows, survives him in a green old age, with the condolence of many friends, and the blessed assurance that her earthly loss is his eternal gain.

As the question has been raised concerning the misappropriation of a part of the school fund and has been carried into the courts for adjudication, which august tribunal has refused to act in relation thereto; and as there seems to be a covert design on the part of certain officials to bring the matter before the incoming Legislature, for the purpose of defeating the ends of justice by requesting that body to enact some measure by which to quash the whole procedure. Therefore I suggest to the Teachers of Franklin county, that we meet in convention at the Court house in Frankfort, on Saturday the 29th inst., at 10 o'clock a. m., and take some decided action in reference to the matter. Let there be a full attendance, not only of teachers, but all others interested in the cause of education.

RUFUS.

Teachers' Meeting.

In response to the suggestions of a Common School Teacher, in the last ROUNDABOUT, the Common School Teachers of Franklin county and of Kentucky are requested to meet in Frankfort on Saturday December 22d, 1883, at the Court-house at 2 p. m., to take steps in regard to the question of the taxes paid by railroad companies, under the Public School Laws of Kentucky. Papers friendly to the cause of education will please publish this call.

MANY TEACHERS.

Masonic Notices.

FRANKFORT R. A. CHAPTER, No. 3, meets in regular monthly communication on Tuesday evening, Dec. 18th, at 7 o'clock.

J. R. STAFFORD, H. P.
F. G. MONTGOMERY, Sec'y.

FRANKFORT COMMANDERY, No. 4, meets in regular monthly convocation on Thursday evening, December 20th, at 7 o'clock.

ISAAC WINGATE, E. C.
W. S. DEHONEY, Rec.

Choice lot of Christmas goods at low prices. Banta's New Store,

Between the Bridges.

The weather is fine and business lively. Corn wagons are heard chucking early and late.

Mrs. Dr. Horine and daughters, of Graefenburg spent the day with Mrs. S. M. Tinsley last Monday.

Mrs. T. B. Johnson and Mrs. Thompson Johnson spent Monday with Mrs. Frank Crutcher, at Graefenburg.

Owen Tinsley has the fastest trotter in this part of the country, but Charley Johnson has the best puller.

Misses Annie L. Johnson and Sallie Sharp have just returned from a visit to friends in Shelbyville.

E. E. Wiggs and G. B. Roach talk of moving to Shelby county and engaging in the farming business. We regret that they have decided to leave us, and are especially sorry for some of the young ladies, who have become so accustomed to Eddie's Sunday evening calls that they will be lonely indeed without him.

Mrs. T. B. Johnson spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Tinsley.

Miss Janie Thacker, of Shelby county, spent last week with her cousin, Miss Hattie Thacker, of this vicinity.

The people of Graefenburg and vicinity are already making preparations for the Christmas tree to be given at that place December 25th, and we feel sure it will be a grand success.

The young ladies and gentlemen of this neighborhood, who attended church at Clayville on Sunday seemed to be enjoying their drive very nicely as they returned, so much so that the couple driving the black horse neglected to use their lines and the horse walked up against the side of the bridge and stopped.

We did think that some of the young ladies of our community had such an extensive claim on J. J. Smith, the photographer, that even an angel could not sever the bonds which held him here, but one of Hardinsville's fairest damsels proved herself too sharp for our country girls, and has worked his mind up to such an extent that he goes mooping about his tent neither eating or drinking, but longing for the sweet day of bliss to come.

Prof. Carter has just closed a five month's school at Hardinsville, and notwithstanding this is his fourth session at that place, there has not been a single objection to his teaching, and the patrons of the school desire, if possible, to secure his services for at least another term.

We heartily concur with our Bridgeport correspondent in his opinion as regards the proposed appropriation for a new jail, and can safely say that there is not an individual in our community who is in favor of said appropriation. But we, as a unit, are of the opinion that a jail is intended for a place of safe keeping or punishment, and not as a first-class hotel.

Esquire S. M. Tinsley has just returned from Bullitt county, and furnishes us with the following account of his trip. We give it in his own language, as nearly as possible: "Leaving home on Sunday morning I drove to Shelbyville in company with Prof. Carter, and after spending the night in Shelbyville I took the train for Shepherdsville by way of Louisville; had a slight wreck on the way, but no one seriously injured. I think Bullitt county the poorest county in the State, but filled with generous, clever people. After two days and nights' hard work I succeeded in selling the farm of T. B. Johnson for \$1,100 (late purchased by said Johnson for \$571), and received as compensation for my services \$100 and expenses. I returned home by way of Bardstown, stopping at the Central Hotel of that place; found the proprietors to be most estimable and accommodating gentlemen, and their hotel unsurpassed for neatness and pleasant accommodations. I was conducted from thence to Bloomfield by one of the proprietors, Mr. George Hughes. My trip was altogether a very pleasant one indeed."

Good for the Esquire; he always retains his well deserved reputation as a fine salesman, first class trader, and an honorable gentleman.

Esquire S. M. Tinsley and Prof. Carter left Thursday evening for Elkhorn, for the purpose of selling a bridge in that vicinity.

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